

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS PRIORITY

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EXDIS, FROM NEA/ARN

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, PFOR, SY, US

SUBJECT: SYRIAN JEWS

REF: DAMASCUS, 1294, 1470

WE WILL BE HAVING A MEETING IN DEPARTMENT ON TUESDAY,  
MARCH 8, WITH GRUEN AND JEWISH LEADERS REGARDING NEXT STEPS,  
ESPECIALLY AS REGARDS INITIAL TEST CASES. WE WILL PURSUE  
YOUR RECOMMENDED COURSE OF ACTION OUTLINED IN 1470. WE  
TRUST YOU WILL TRY TO GET PELLETTREAU'S REPORT OF HIS  
MEETING WITH TOUTAH TO US BY THE TIME OF MEETING.  
CHRISTOPHER

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## Message Attributes

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